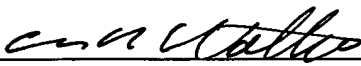


REMARKS

Kindly enter this Preliminary Amendment prior to calculation of any fees for extra claims or multiple dependency.

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